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The reply filed on December 17, 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicants have failed to provide a complete response to the election of species requirement of September 18, 2002. As set forth within subparagraph 3 of paragraph 1 of the requirement, applicants are required to provide a listing of all claims readable on the elected species. However, applicants have failed to provide such a listing. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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